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For:	"FAULT TOLERANT	)	Date: March 14, 2005
	MAGNETORESISTIVE SOLID-STATE	)	
	STORAGE DEVICE"	)	Re: <i>Amendment and Response</i>
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Mail Stop Amendment  
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Sir:

In reply to the final Office Action mailed on December 16, 2004, a response to which is initially due no later than **Marc h16, 2005**, Applicant submits this paper. Please amend the above-identified application as described below and consider the following remarks. **All amendments and remarks herein are made without prejudice.**

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.